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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed June 7, 2006, applicant elects the invention of Group II, claims 28-40, drawn to a method for reducing or depleting macrophages in a subject comprising administering a chimeric polypeptide, classified in class 514, subclass 2. The election is made without traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,

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